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The collections in this department have not been materially increased during the year. The American Philosophical Society has withdrawn its deposit of the Peale collection. It is believed, however, that as soon as adequate space is provided for the display of objects in Ethnology and Archæology, they can readily be obtained from members of the Academy and their friends.

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#### REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF INVERTEBRATE ZOOLOGY.

The Professor of Invertebrate Zoology respectfully reports that he has presented a collection of Anellides, Mollusca and Crustacea collected by him in the Mediterranean, as well as some trays of shells collected in the Caribbees.

During the past year he delivered six lectures on the "Principles of Zoological Philosophy" and one on the "Volcanoes of the West Indian Group," most of which were illustrated by lantern slides.

It is proposed to give a course on general zoology during the coming spring.

Having been appointed Zoologist-in-Charge of the West Greenland Expedition, he spent two months collecting on the shores of North Greenland, a small part only of the collection having as yet been presented. This part consists of the Crustacea, which were collected by himself and Dr. W. E. Hughes, the ornithologist of the Expedition.

The additions to the museum during the past year have been important. Several have been received from F. Stearns of Detroit, Mich. including some new (type) species of Cirripeds and Brachiopods described in the "Proceedings" by H. A. Pilsbry.

The Echinoderms collected by W. J. Fox in Jamaica has been presented. A fine series of *Asterias vulgaris* from Maine, have been received from Dr. S. G. Dixon.

Respectfully submitted,

BENJAMIN SHARP,  
*Professor of Invertebrate Zoology.*

The election of Officers, Councillors and Members of the Finance Committee, to serve during the year 1892, was held with the following result:—

<i>President,</i>	. . . .	Isaac J. Wistar.
<i>Vice-Presidents,</i>	. . . .	Rev. Henry C. McCook, D. D. Thomas Meehan.
<i>Recording Secretary,</i>	. . . .	Edward J. Nolan, M. D.
<i>Corresponding Secretary,</i>	. . . .	Benjamin Sharp, M. D.
<i>Treasurer,</i>	. . . .	Isaac C. Martindale.
<i>Librarian,</i>	. . . .	Edward J. Nolan, M. D.
<i>Curators,</i>	. . . .	W. S. W. Ruschenberger, M. D. H. C. Chapman, M. D. S. G. Dixon, M. D. Angelo Heilprin.
<i>Councillors to serve three years,</i>	. . . .	J. Bernard Brinton, M. D. Theodore D. Rand, Gavin W. Hart, Geo. H. Horn, M. D.
<i>Finance Committee,</i>	. . . .	Chas. P. Perot, Chas. Morris, Chas. E. Smith, Gavin W. Hart, Uselma C. Smith.

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### ELECTIONS DURING 1891.

#### MEMBERS.

*January 27.*—Stewardson Brown, Thomas Hewson Bradford, M. D., Amos Peaslee Brown, Edmund E. Reed, Jr., Albert P. Brown, M. D., Geo. C. Evans, Mary S. Holmes.

*February 24.*—Wm. C. Carrick, Henry T. Coates, Wm. S. Stewart, M. D., Samuel N. Rhoads, Richard D. Barclay.

*March 31.*—Edgar Strayer, M. D., William D. Robinson, M. D., R. E. Peary, U. S. N., Geo. S. Morris.

*April 28.*—Edwin Corlies Atkinson, Witmer Stone, Robert P. Morton, John Arschagonni, M. D.